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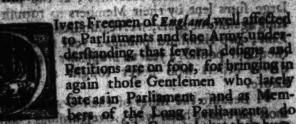
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The Humble Representation and Remonstrance of Devery Presents of England, well effected to Parliaments.



here of the Long Perliaments do Remontrate to this Honorable Counced that they have by apprehend that it cannot frank with the batery and Rights of the People of this Commonwealth, that those Gentlemen should be again affembled as a Perliament, and that for the following Readons.

I. Because for many years they have excepted Arbitrary and Tyrannical Government, over the Conferences; Likes, Libertles and Educator their Brethren, doing the same things, and world then those, for which themselves formerly impeathed and put to death most confederable across in these Mexicos.

themselves formethy impacted and put to death most considerable persons in these Notices.

It is because upon of checkings done by them, have been contrary to the known Lows and Customer of the Notices, without the scale standow or colour of lawful contrary.

anthority and the second design of the lights and Liveryes of the people, they judged Causes of private

right and title, and that upon report onels from at-Committees, without fleating on the confelves, but by others, though a forest of the their lentence in one of life, libert any Review or Negative upon them, or many of a thicknessing any miffelds how forms to come

IV. Because they have imposed on the people, and flared a great shemfelves and their creatures, a large sums lent by their Members king against the score, twilve hundre have, two elsoutand pounds a year to breakflowed divers others who never fought cause.

v. Because the iffires of their Communication and their bearings in poverishment, interesting a mentation, and all the fid companies of contail edited.

VI. Because their pride and oppression, both in their Countries and in their Thrones at Walker the arm in tollerable.

VII. Because divers of them are human to be fore daloutly and abhominably victious and recked in them convertations and opinions, and very term of them have spent one drop of blood in this case.

VIII. Because at their late fictings, the fitting as above fifty or fixty persons; whereast a new consistent of above five hundreds.

IX. Because many places; and soveral Countries of England, had no Representatives at all fire them in the number contrary to all right and customer. X. Because these sew Gentlemen were so ambitious of power in their own hands that they would not self up the House, and yet took upon them; though so small a number to exercise the whole Legislative, judicial, and Executive Power in the same sew hands in

one fingle House overthree great Nations.

XI. Because they disingeniously abused the priviledge of freedom of speech in Parliament, to the reproaching of their brethren and friends behind their backs, and some of their fellow Members with litter words, calling them perfidious. Traytors, Apollates, and the like, for no other reason, but because they affished in the preservation of the peace, and administration of Justice under a single person when they reigned not, neither did they forbear multing over a dead single person, to whom they would no, have given a distalling word in his life time.

MI. Because they used to condemne others, and boast of their own righteousness, when they knew more wickedness by the mielves, then they know by any

ethers.

Add. Become they have been ungrateful and unjust, as is known by their dealines with Effec. Walter, Raffeer, and many others, the excluded Members, and the whole Army in those times, and lately with the Committioners of the Seal, the Judges, and civil Officers, and as to Military Officers, with Fleetwood, Lambert, Divbrough, Berry, several other Field Officers, and near two hubdred other Officers, whom they would reward for their faithful hazardous services done for these centlemen with others, by calhiering and exposing them to the regers a subdued enemy, and this without hearing them, of any cause alleadged, but their good pleasure for so doing.

Clares themselves published in the Flouse as offended with all the people of this Commonwealth; afterning that not only the Cavaliers; but the Ministers, Dawyers, Preflyterious, Independents, Analogotifts, and in effect all ber chemicives and their affociates, to be a corrigor interest and unholygonic void alogotic.

XV. Because it is impossible for them ever to be an-

confiled to this Army who have to highly offended them, for which cause they threaten and wilk certainly labor to execute revenge and diffrustion upon them, and thereby deliver over all the tgood people of ethis Countonwealth into the hands of an imaged enemy, and which is worfe, betray our hibertyes both as men and they relegied and , acitier c Christians.

"XVI! Because those Gentlemen if they he again will probably make themselves a perpetual Perliament, or Ofigurely, some of them having publickly declared their resolution for the same

XVII. Because the Animoficies of Hesterize and his party are fo high, that if they return to power, there will be no end of their sevenge, nor of those Typesnotther places gives too much teltimony, 12 (10) rusen ban

XVIII. Because it may be prefumed that Lauriers and his Brigade will take it for no greek advantage to them, who have been formerly its much relucked by them, and for foliatie table? and did not consciplin

down by it.

All Because the secure of these Gentlemen to pow 
to would be a ready means to further the secure of 
anti-straight to the Course, there being authorities 
of distributing injuried parties by this Gentlemen, who 
will much rather bring in Charles Stemard, and Antanic

to his Government, then to the infolent Tyraphy of fifty

or fixty of their equals, or of an Army of an or no.

XX. Because these Gentlemen labor by railing Tumults and Infurrections, by diffurbing the published peace, and by railing a new civil War, wherein fome of them do now perforally appear; rather than this will endure to be out of command and deconnecting as ver their brethreis. 23d at about the amismong oil - in

XXI. Because these Gentlemen cannot make a lawful Parlament, 'in regard (as diversor shemistics in Parliament acknowledged) that the long Parliament and undoubtedly diffolyed ("If not by the latest its shorts." yet by the new Elections of the peoples Repectant tives to lerve in Parliament for the thing Councies land places; for which their Gentlemen were forested to the fen, and their Commissions desermined by the peoples

The Remonstrants are not ignorant that the foundatione of all Commonwealths have been laid from Military power, and that it will be more honorable for the Army then for any others to advance and obey the civil authority in order whereunto, and upon the reasons. before expressed, the Remonstrants humbly defire this

honorable Councel.

That those few Gentlemen late Members of the Long Parliament may not be re-affembled, but that a new full Parliament may be chosen; consisting of two Af-femblies; the Elections to beby those who, have not forfeited this Priviledge, and no other diffinction to be but of lober or net lober men.

to the new Parliament.

